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VIA MESSENGER

Kim Collins
Federal Election Commission
999 E Street NW
Washington, D.C. 20463

Re: MUR 6717

Dear Ms. Collins:

We are counsel to the Democratic National Committee, and Andrew Tobias, Treasurer, respondents in MUR 6717. Enclosed you will find a copy of Respondent's Statement of Designation of Counsel.

Respondents received the complaint on or about February 8, 2013. They respectfully request that the time for their response be extended until March 25, 2013. Respondents require additional time to review the complaint's allegations and develop the information necessary for response.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have questions or concerns regarding this matter. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

Robert F. Bauer
Graham M. Wilson

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STATEMENT OF DESIGNATION OF COUNSEL
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MUR # 6717

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The above-named individual and/or firm is hereby designated as my
counsel and is authorized to receive any notifications and other communications
from the Commission and to act on my behalf before the Commission.

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Date 2/20/13 Respondent/Client Signature [Signature] Title

RESPONDENT/CLIENT:

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